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Re: Sobell, Morton

Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		*	Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
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97	8/3/50	WFO teletype to NY	1	-	YES	BUREAU 101-2483-75
98	8/3/50	OC teletype to NY + Hq.	1	-	YES	BUREAU 101-2483-64
99	8/3/50	NY teletype to WFO + Hq.	5	-	YES	BUREAU 101-2483-70
100	8/3/50	WFO teletype to NY + Hq.	2	-	YES	BUREAU 101-2483-68
101	8/3/50	Hq. teletype to NY	1	-	YES	BUREAU 101-2483-92
102	8/3/50	NY memo	1	1		NO EXEMPTIONS
103	8/3/50	NY report to Hq.	4	-	YES	BUREAU 101-2483-26
104	8/3/50	WFO letter to Hq.	1	-	YES	BUREAU 101-2483-22
105	8/3/50	SA letter to NY	1	1		(b)(7)(C)
106	8/3/50	WFO letter to Hq.	1	-	YES	BUREAU 101-2483-29
107	8/3/50	PA letter to NY	1	1		NO EXEMPTIONS
108	8/4/50	NY memo	1	1		NO EXEMPTIONS

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Re: MORTON SOBELL;
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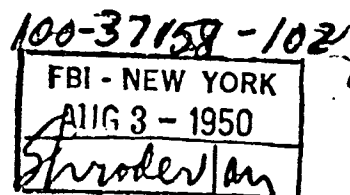
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FBI - NEW YORK
AUG 3 - 1950
<i>[Signature]</i>

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York
 FROM : SAC, San Antonio
 SUBJECT: MORTON SOBELL, wa., Morton Sobill
 ESPIONAGE - R
 (New York File 100-37158)

DATE: August 3, 1950

AIR MAIL
SPECIAL DELIVERY

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The San Antonio file in instant case contains no mention of a Mr. or Mrs. F. SOBEL, and there is no indication that this person is connected with the subject. It is noted that the current city directory and telephone books do not list any person in San Antonio named SOBELL or SOBELL. No further investigation is being conducted concerning this person unless a request for same is received from your office.

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FROM: *WJM* SAC, Phoenix
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ESPIONAGE - R
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Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice

New York, N.Y.
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MEMO

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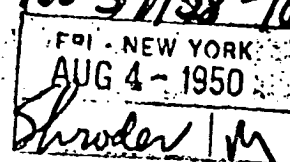
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